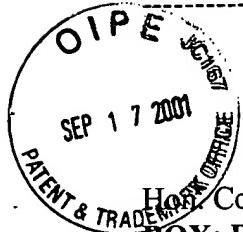


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Title: METHOD FOR OPERATING A COIN ACTUATED ENTERTAINMENT AUTOMAT  
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